

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION RULES FOR TAX APPEALS

California Code of Regulations
Title 18. Public Revenues
Division 2.1. State Board of Equalization – Rules for Tax Appeals
Chapter 5: General Board Hearing Procedures¹

Article 1: Application of Chapter and Definitions

5512. CONSTRUCTION.

The following provisions of this division must be construed and applied in accordance with the following terminology:

- (a) “Must” is mandatory.
- (b) “May” is permissive.
- (c) “May not” means not permitted to.
- (d) “Will” expresses a future contingency or predicts an action in the ordinary course of events, but does not signify a mandatory duty.
- (e) “Should” expresses a preference or a nonbinding recommendation.

Note: Authority cited: California Constitution, article XIII, section 11; Government Code sections 15606, 15640; Revenue and Taxation Code sections 251, 1840, 7051, 8251, 9251, 11651, 13170, 30451, 32451, 38701, 40171, 41128, 43501, 45851, 46601, 50152, 55301, 60601.

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